You are cordially invited to a Computational Genomics Seminar:

**Time:** Wednesday, December 14, at 11:15 sharp

**Place:** Schreiber 309, School of Computer Science

**Speaker:** Ran D Balicer, MD, Ph.D, MPH Director
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**Title:** Data-driven innovation in healthcare

**Abstract:** The Clalit Research Institute - a clinical data-driven innovation center, has been initiated in 2010 by Clalit with a mission is to use the most advanced data science, innovative IT and clinical knowhow to transform medical care from its current prevailing blind-guess intuitive and reactive art, into a more precise and data-driven science that allows disease prevention and effective personalized treatment. In this presentation we will review the driving forces that require this paradigm shift and disruptive innovations, and detail specific examples from the ongoing work of the institute.

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